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### MISREPRESENTATION.

We have had occasion more than once to expose the untruthfulness of the vapourings of *Anglo-Saxon*, alias *Helmsley*, which appear from time to time in the *Alta California*, and our attention was attracted the other day by one of these letters, dated Victoria, November 4th, from which we cannot resist the temptation of making a few extracts for the amusement of our readers. After drawing a highly colored picture of the mines, the Doctor says:

"Much abuse has been heaped upon the London 'Times' Correspondent for certain glowing communications published in that paper last year, and which induced a large number of persons to emigrate for British Columbia. This abuse has been hotly unmerited: were those letters to be again published they would but reiterate the opinions of most people at the present time, and would be less bright than those of our own journals, one of which, now defunct, has been the leader of the defamations, although at that time publishing more flaming descriptions—this Editor has since chosen himself a delegate to England! The new comers are now as excited as those who arrived earlier were depressed, and the former will pen descriptions as much exaggerating the gold fields as the latter have to defame them."

A most fitting hand indeed to take up the quill in defence of the notorious Donald! But the following is, beyond all controversy, "rich and rare."

"The Governor has returned from his tour in British Columbia. At various towns, New Westminster included, he received addresses of congratulation, expressing also satisfaction with his government, and the general improvement and progress of the Colony. Altogether he was warmly welcomed, and was highly considered personally tolerably well liked by the majority. The fact is, politics and dissatisfaction are for the most part confined to the lower Fraser; the upper country having plenty to do to occupy their time more profitably."

Now comes the other side of the picture. Malcolm Cameron, member of the Legislative Council of Canada, and celebrated as the Star of the (Y) part, has been chosen, and accepted the office of delegate to England, to lay before the Home Government the grievances under which poor Columbia groans. Malcolm, it is said, receives a thousand dollars for the job, and as much capital as he can make on his own account. What the peculiar grievances are on this occasion has not yet come to light in this benighted city, but doubtless the greatest one will be that Victoria, with her liberal free trade policy, stops all the shipping that ought to go to Westminster if Vancouver Island did not exist, and the mouth of the Fraser was not blocked with five miles of sand banks. They have, that is Westminster has, hitherto uttered most plaintive cries for a new Governor and responsible Government, both of which Malcolm has already declared himself adverse to, and therefore can hardly be expected to urge. The wind, also, has been more or less taken out of his sails, in that the Governor has already promulgated his intention of giving representative institutions in some shape or other, at a very early period, to the country.

If there be anything that the Westminsterers consider a grievance, they cannot be blamed for representing the same in the proper quarter, but in all conscience let the Delagate be dubbed from Westminster, and not from British Columbia. The capital of British Columbia, with her immense population of four hundred, is not everybody, neither is she, nor does she, represent the feeling or the interest of British Columbia. There are many things which require amendment, and the Delagate, when admitted into the presence of his intimate friend the Duke of Newcastle, whom he once saw and spoke to in Canada, will perhaps give the true version of the state of affairs, and the policy requisite and necessary, to the best of his belief, to promote the general welfare of the British Possessions, leaving out of the question the peculiar idiosyncrasy of the subscribers to the saltry thousand dollar—his name and honor being worth a much greater sum."

The greater part of the above extraordinary tissue of falsehood and gross misrepresentation needs no comment. His allusion to an address from this city, however, needs some little explanation, as there is just the least flimsy of fact interwoven with the skein of fiction. A fire company in this city, having received pecuniary assistance from the public Treasury through the Governor, for the purpose of purchasing an Engine, the Company appointed a Committee of four to wait upon His Excellency, and convey to him the thanks of the Company verbally. The Captain of this Company being possessed with an inordinate desire to "figure in print" in connection with this affair, drew up a long-winded and fulsome enough address, introducing politics therein, although in direct contravention of a By-Law upon that subject. This address was duly presented, most graciously and thankfully received by His Excellency, and a copy handed to us for publication. Upon looking over the document we were amazed to find in it political sentiments which we believed were not only obnoxious to almost the entire population, but to a majority of said fire company. We consequently felt it to be our duty to ascertain whether such a document had really received the approbation of those composing the Company, which we quickly found, as we anticipated, was by no means the case. A meeting was at once called, and the Committee of four placed on their trial, first, for infraction of the By-Law alluded to, secondly, for disregarding instructions as to their mission to the Governor, and thirdly, for expressing political sentiments distasteful to a majority of the Company. The subject was very warmly discussed, and finally a resolution was carried discharging the Committee, not because what they had done was approved of, but simply because

it was too late to mend the matter, as the Governor had the precious document in his possession. The gentleman who moved the resolution discharging the Committee stated distinctly that they had done wrong; and had not the four who composed that Committee, and who were consequently on their trial, voted on their own case the vote of censure would have been carried. It was decided the address should not be published, and we were requested to pass over in silence the extraordinary scene to which we had been a witness.

And this same address, the off-spring of four firemen, disapproved of by their own Company, kept from the printer because they were ashamed of it—this thing is to be trotted out and christened a congratulatory address from the people of New Westminster to Governor Douglas, expressing satisfaction with his government!! Surely the Governor and his hacks must be driven to a pitiful strait for addresses when they will go to the length of transmogrifying the illegitimate thing we have honestly described into an address from the people.

There is just one other point which it may be as well to expose. The population of this place is set down at 400! Now "Anglo-Saxon" either is in total ignorance upon this point—which we can hardly conceive possible, as it is not long since we saw the gentlemen here—or else he has put in circulation that which he knows to be a most glaring falsehood. The fact is the population of this city is very close upon, if not quite, 1800. The census is about to be taken, however, when we will be in a position to write more advisedly upon this question. Meantime we heartily wish His Excellency and Mr. Fraser joy of their unscrupulous defender, and the *Alta* luck with its "Victoria Correspondent."

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VICTORIA, V. I. 6m

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VICTORIA, V. I.

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Dickson, DeWolf, & Co., - - - San Francisco  
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SELIM FRANKLIN & CO.,  
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July 18th, 1862. jy30

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Importer and Manufacturer  
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Currants,  
Soda,  
Blue,  
Pepper,  
Corn Starch,  
Oil,  
Syrups,  
Hams,

Tea, U.S. in diamond,  
China Sugar,  
Coffee,  
Chicken Feed,  
Potatoes,  
Salt,  
Vinegar,  
Soap,  
Mustard,  
Starch,  
Blacking,  
Lard  
Cheese.

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All Advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

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NEW WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 3.

### THE ASSIZES.

Altho' the hour appointed for opening the Court was 10 o'clock, A. M., on Monday, the Judge did not take his seat till about half-past 11 o'clock. The Court room was densely crowded, and many on the outside were unable to obtain ingress.

Upon taking his seat His Lordship said he felt it to be his duty to take notice of what he conceived to be a gross contempt of Court. He had observed on several occasions articles and advertisements upon his conduct, which, tho' most improper, he had passed by in silence. A paragraph had appeared in the *British Columbian* or *British Colonist* during the summer, alluding to his refusal to have a lunatic in the upper country taken care of, and winding up with, "his blood be upon his head." But in Wednesday's edition of the *British Columbian* he found the following passage in a communication signed A, in which occurred the following passage:

"What is the difference between a good mining claim and a desirable pre-emption claim? If Judge Begbie could accept twenty acres of land from End Moreland, and if the said Moreland could, on appeal to the said Judge procure a certificate of improvement in opposition to the will of the resident Magistrate, why he, the said Judge, can hold a claim, or twenty, and feel no qualms of conscience within."

His Lordship then went into a somewhat lengthy explanation of the circumstances which had given rise to this false and scandalous report, he stated that chancing to be ill at Cottonwood he wished to procure a piece of ground upon which to erect a house. He accordingly applied to a Mr. Cox who held by pre-emption the land in that locality. Mr. Cox kindly gave him his choice of the ground, offering him a piece of his garden at whatever price he thought fit to fix. His Lordship accordingly selected 20 acres of land a short distance from the garden and agreed to pay said Cox the sum of ten shillings per acre for it, but the occupant not having any power or title to sell, he, the Judge, gave him a note for the amount, at the same time taking the precaution to become a pre-emptor by registering his claim to said 20 acres. Subsequently to this, while at Williams Creek, the said Cox, who, he it remembered, is a foreigner and consequently unentitled to pre-empt land, made application to his Lordship to grant him a title, or certificate of improvement, or to register his claim, we are not very clear which, nor is it of present importance, he having previously applied to Assist. Com. O'Reilly and had been refused. His Lordship ordered Mr. O'Reilly to grant the title, reading him a lecture for having declined to do so. His Lordship went on to explain his version of the law upon the point, and wound up his long rigmarole by stating that the publisher of the *British Columbian* was guilty of a gross contempt of Court in publishing the communication alluded to, and ordered his appearance before the Court on the following day at 10 o'clock, A. M., to show cause why he should not be committed to prison for said contempt.

Yesterday the Editor of this Journal appeared accordingly, and upon being asked to show cause why he should not be committed to prison, said: My Lord:—The gentleman who wrote the communication in which the paragraph occurred to which your Lordship takes exception not being accessible to me at present, I am unaware of what evidence he may possess in support of the implied charge against your Lordship—here he was interrupted by His Lordship, and informed in somewhat excited tones that he had nothing whatever to do with the truth or falsity of the matter, he was called before the Court simply to show cause why he should not be committed; whereupon the Editor again addressed the Court as follows: My Lord,—The communication in question was received in the ordinary manner from a gentleman in whom I have the utmost confidence, and was published in the usual way. If, however, the implied charge is untrue, all I can say is that I regret its publication. His Lordship, in a very excited manner, informed the Editor that he could not permit the use of such language in Court. The use of the word "if" was an implied doubt as to his veracity, he having given the statement an emphatic contradiction yesterday, and that to make use of such language was only repeating the offence in an aggravated form. Mr. Robson urged that it was impossible for him to say that the charge was untrue with his present knowledge of the matter, and that therefore he could not conscientiously offer to his Lordship other than a conditional and qualified apology, whereupon the Judge ordered the officer to remove him to prison. Mr. Robson asked his Lordship to be permitted to visit his office previous to being locked up, which, after a moment's hesitation, was acceded to, and he was accordingly escorted to jail via his office, in charge of the officer.

A PUBLIC MEETING was called yesterday evening on account of the commitment of the Editor of this paper to prison. The meeting took place in the Hyack Hall, which was crowded to the middle of the street, the number being estimated at about 400 persons. Resolutions were passed, and somewhat lengthy speeches made, and at the close the people marched en masse to the Jail, where, after giving three cheers for the imprisoned Editor, and three groans for the tyrant Judge, they quietly dispersed. Our space will not allow us to give a lengthened report in this issue.

THE SMALL-POX.—It would appear that this terrible disease, which proved so fatal at Victoria during the summer months, has again made its appearance there, resulting in a number of deaths, and, amongst others, that of Mr. D. Chester, late of the Township of Bosanquet, Lambton County, Canada West, who died in Hospital on the 27th ult. Several cases have also occurred recently in Lillooet and Douglas. Although threatened with a general visitation of the plague here last summer, it was providentially confined to a few cases, and altogether we have cause for thankfulness on account of the comparative immunity from its ravages we have enjoyed.

### New Advertisements.

#### Columbia Hotel.

THE UNDERSIGNED, wishing to return thanks to his Friends and the Public generally, for their patronage during the past year, takes this opportunity to inform them that he intends to re-open his Bar on THURSDAY, the 4th inst., where will be always found The Best Liquors, Ales, Wines and Cigars.

H. BURR.  
New Westminster, 2nd December, 1862. d3tc

### NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to the owners of the Boat "YOUNG AMERICA," which has been lying at the Harrison River during the last two years, that unless they come forward and pay charges upon her, on or before the 31st day of December, instant, said Boat will be sold on that day to pay the same.

CHARLES MARCHANT.  
Harrison River, December 1st, 1862.

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Two Doors East of the Colonial Hotel,  
Columbia Street.

ALL ORDERS entrusted to his care promptly attended to, and work finished in the latest style. d3.

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#### British Columbia.

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IN 2500 SHARES OF \$100 EACH, WITH POWER TO INCREASE.

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That a Bank under the above title be established in New Westminster.

That the capital be \$250,000 in 2500 shares of \$100 each, a deposit of \$10 to be paid on each share on the 1st of February, 1863, \$10 on the 1st of August, 1862, and \$10 on the 1st of February, 1864, the remainder to be at the call of the Directors—but no call at any one time to exceed 10 per cent of the amount subscribed, nor to be enforced without three months notice, nor more than two calls to be made in any one year.

The affairs of the Bank to be managed by a Board of Directors chosen annually at a general meeting of the shareholders.

Subscription books to be opened at once, and whenever a sufficient number of names shall be subscribed to fulfil the requirements of the existing laws, a general meeting to be called for the election of Directors, the making of Bye-Laws for the government of the Bank, and the transaction of such other business as may be deemed necessary.

The business of the Bank would embrace the usual transactions of such establishments, and in addition, the purchase of gold in dust and in bars, which last branch would prove a very great benefit to miners and traders, and in return yield a handsome and legitimate profit to the shareholders.

The operations of the Bank would, in the first instance, be confined to the General Office at New Westminster, and in due course of time, as the extension of business should warrant, branch offices would be established in the different up-country towns.

It would be almost needless to say before the public of British Columbia the many advantages afforded by having in the Colony a Bank of its own, where the Head Office and subsequent branches would be in the Colony, where the shareholders would be composed of its own Colonists, and where the profits arising therefrom instead of being remitted to Foreign Shareholders would be handed over to residents, and be again placed in circulation in the Colony.

The profits arising from the establishment, under somewhat similar circumstances in the Colonies of Canada, Australia and New Zealand, have been large, and the promoters of this purely colonial and risk-taking enterprise beg the co-operation and assistance of the inhabitants of the Colony, convinced that by so doing they will at the same time promote the public good and their own interests.

Applications for shares to be made to the Provisional Managing Committee, New Westminster, and will be received up to the 5th of January, 1863, when the lists will be closed.

### FORM OF APPLICATION.

GENTLEMEN,—I beg you will allot me shares in the Colonial Bank of British Columbia, (limited).

(Signed, Name and Address in full.)

To the Provisional Managing Committee.

New Westminster.

The following gentlemen have been elected as a Provisional Managing Committee to obtain subscribers, and when a sufficient number shall be obtained, to call a general meeting for the election of Directors and other business.

HENRY HOLBROOK.  
JOHN COOPER.  
F. G. CLAUDET.

### TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS will be received until Wednesday, 10th December, for Shelving and Fixtures of Store in New Westminster, according to plan and specifications to be seen at my Store.

J. A. WEBSTER.

### New Advertisements.

#### THE Victoria Exchange Reading NEWS ROOM

WILL BE OPENED ABOUT THE 25TH NOVEMBER, INSTANT, in the large room specially building in MR. MATTHEWSEN'S New ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL, GOVERNMENT STREET, BETWEEN YATES AND JOHNSON STREETS.

Newspapers and Magazines from all parts of the world. Mailing information direct from Cariboo once a week. Shipping and Merchandise information. A separate room is destined for a Chess Room, &c., and Smoking Room.

Annual subscription \$24 per annum, quarterly. Monthly do \$3 per month, in advance.

Subscription Lists are at Messrs. Hibben & Carswell's, Yates street, and at the London Hotel, corner Johnson and Broad streets.

no29 H. F. HEISTERMAN, Manager.

### Royal Insurance Co.,

#### FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE.

CAPITAL, \$10,000,000.

HEAD OFFICES, Liverpool and London.

Agents for Vancouver Island and British Columbia, ANDERSON & CO., Wharf Street, no29

Victoria, 21st November, 1862.

### R. HANNAH

BEGS leave to call the attention of the inhabitants of New Westminster and the Public generally to his new and well selected stock of

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS, Lamps, Coal Oil, Fruits, &c., all of which he offers

CHEAP FOR CASH.

Columbia street, next door to 'S. T. Tilley's Book Store, New Westminster, Nov. 25th, 1862. ff.

### OTTAWA MARKET.

#### SIGN OF THE OX.

MESSERS. FLOAK AND BROWNLEE beg to announce to the inhabitants of New Westminster that they have opened a

NEW MEAT SHOP

next door to Mr. W. J. Armstrong's General Store, Columbia Street, and are prepared to supply every article in the

Meat and Vegetable trade; and will endeavor by attention, promptitude and perseverance, to merit public confidence and patronage.

New Westminster, B. C., November 25th, 1862.

### SMITH & MURRAY

BEG LEAVE to call the attention of their friends and the public to the

CAREFULLY SELECTED STOCK

OF

FAMILY GROCERIES

which they have just opened, and which they are prepared to sell at the

Lowest Possible Prices, FOR CASH.

SMITH & MURRAY, Columbia Street, New Westminster.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE COPARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between Isidore Weill and Jacob Loeb, under the firm of Weill & Loeb, in Lytton and Antler Creek, B. C., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Weill is the only one authorized to collect all outstanding debts due to the above firm, and also the sole owner of all Goods stored in Lytton and Antler Creek, B. C., by said firm. Mr. Weill also holds himself responsible for all liabilities incurred by the said firm up to date.

ISIDORE WEILL, JACOB LOEB.

Witness, J. GREENBACH, Victoria, Nov. 11th 1862. no19 1m

### NOTICE.

#### BALLOU'S EXPRESS.

I HAVE this day sold to Messrs. GEORGE DIETZ and HUGH NELSON all my right, title, interest, and good-will in the above Express from Lillooet Flat, Douglas, Yale, Hope, via New Westminster to Victoria.

W. T. BALLOU, New Westminster, October 1st, 1862.

### NOTICE.

MESSERS. DIETZ & NELSON having purchased the above business, Notice is hereby given that I have this day withdrawn in their favor, connecting with them at Yale and Lillooet, from which points I will continue to carry the Express to Cariboo and the Northern Mines, as heretofore.

F. J. BARNARD, New Westminster, October 15th, 1862.

In reference to the above notices the undersigned beg to state that they will hereafter conduct the Express Business in all its branches, between Victoria, V. I., and Lillooet and Yale, B. C., under the name of DIETZ & NELSON'S British Columbia and Victoria Express, connecting with Wells, Fargo & Co., for California, Eastern States and Europe.

GEORGE DIETZ, HUGH NELSON, no22

Victoria, October 24th, 1862.

### New Advertisements.

#### DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO., WHARF STREET.

HAVE ON SALE, EX RECENT ARRIVALS,

#### WINES AND SPIRITS.

BRANDY—Martell's Dark and Pale in case and bulk;

Hennessy's Dark and Pale in case and bulk;

Ortard's Dark and Pale, in case and bulk;

Bonnot's Pale, in case;

Charante Vineyard Co's Pale, in case;

Imperial Cognac Co's Dark and Pale, in case and bulk;

Worthington's, in case and bulk;

OLD TOM—Swaine, Boord & Co's in case and bulk;

GENEVA—J. D. K. Z. anchor and other brands;

WHISKY—James Stewart & Co's, in case and bulk;

Robert Thin's Scotch and Irish, in case;

Roy's Highland and Islay, in case;

RUM—Jamaica, in case and bulk;

SHERRY—Gordon's, in case and bulk;

PORT—Hunt's, do do

CHAMPAGNE—Jaccousson's, Guichard, Pot-

heret, and other famous brands;

BURGUNDY, HOCK, and other choice wines;

ALE—Burton Brewery, in case and bulk;

East No. 2, in bulk;

Morice, Cox & Co's, in case;

do do;

PORTER—do do;

GINGER BRANDY, SUGAR, BITTERS, CORDIALS, in case;

SCHNAPPS—Wolfe's Aromatic, in case;

OLMAN'S STORES—Coward's, and other choice brands;

SARDINES—In 1 and 3 boxes;

SOAP—Crushed, Powdered and Yellow;

SOAP—Liverpool, Fork and Manila;

BLANKETS—2 1/2 and 3 point, White and Blue;

RUGS—do do;

CURRANTS—Muscatels and Jordan Almonds;

no18 1m

### Good Assortment of Ready Made Clothing, Boots and Shoes in every variety, by best Makers.

GUNPOWDER—J. Hall & Son's, of every description;

VINEGAR—C. A. & W. Potts', in case and bulk;

CUTLERY—Good Assortment, by best Sheffield Makers;

EASTERN BEET FORK—In half bbls.

BACON—Eastern and Californian;

FIRE BRICKS—20,000 best make;

SLATES—Countess;

NAVY BREAD.

Victoria, V. I., October, 1862.

### BONDED WAREHOUSE.

500 Tons Storage.

THE NEW FIRE-PROOF BRICK WAREHOUSE, in Lytton Square, New Westminster, has been declared by the Government to be a Bonded Warehouse on and after this date.

Merchants and Shippers to British Columbia, who wish to store merchandise in bond or duty free, are notified that 500 tons can be stored in the New Brick Warehouse.

HARRIS & CO. New Westminster, October 28, 1861. n7 6m

### MACDONALD'S UNION HOTEL.

THE PROPRIETOR has just enlarged and finished in good style the above House, and hopes by strict attention to business, and the comfort of guests, to merit a share of the travelling community.

Private Rooms fitted up with all the

LATEST IMPROVEMENTS.

Douglas, B. C., Aug. 12th, 1862. tc

### MILK.

THE SUBSCRIBER would inform his customers, and the public, that he will continue regularly to supply the city during the summer season with new milk of the best quality.

S. W. HERRING, Herring's Ranch, 2nd July, 1862. jy5 tf

### BONDED WAREHOUSE.

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#### HENRY HOLBROOK, COMMISSION MERCHANT,

LIVERPOOL WHARF, NEW WESTMINSTER.

FONDED AND FREE STORAGE for 600 tons Goods

Every accommodation given to Goods landed on the Liverpool Wharf, for shipment up river.

A large assortment of Goods for sale at Victoria prices, with the duty added.

THOMAS CUNNINGHAM. GEORGE R. ASHWELL.

### NEW Furniture and Stove Emporium.

THE SUBSCRIBERS would announce to the inhabitants of New Westminster, and British Columbia generally, that they have removed their

Furniture and Stove Warehouse

to their New Building, Columbia Street, and having made arrangements for

DIRECT IMPORTATION

FROM THE

BEST MARKETS,

are prepared to sell all articles in their line at the

LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

Orders are respectfully invited from all parts of the Colony, and will receive prompt and careful attention.

CUNNINGHAM & ASHWELL.

New Westminster, July 29th, 1862. jy30

### New Advertisements.

#### BANK

—OF—

#### British North America.

ESTABLISHED IN 1836.

Incorporated by Royal Charter.

PAID UP CAPITAL, \$5,000,000.

HEAD OFFICE, ST. HELENS PLACE, LONDON.

VICTORIA BRANCH, YATES STREET.

#### Establishments in the Colonies.

MONTREAL, LONDON, C. W.,

QUEBEC, OTTAWA,

KINGSTON, DUNDA,

TORONTO, ST. JOHN, B.

HAMILTON, HALIFAX, N. I.

BRANTFORD, VICTORIA, V. I.

#### Agents and Correspondents.

NEW YORK, R. C. FERGUSON, J. H. GRAIN, and J. SMITH.

SAN FRANCISCO, B. DAVIDSON & M. ATY.

AUSTRALIA, UNION BANK OF AUSTRALIA.

#### Bills of Exchange and Gold Purchased.

DRAFTS ISSUED ON

LONDON, New York, San Francisco, Canada, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and on all the branches of the NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND, and the PROVINCIAL BANK OF IRELAND.

Credits granted on this office by the



## Important to Business Men in Victoria, California, Portland, and Places on the Sound!

This Journal is the only newspaper published in British Columbia, and is read by every business man from New Westminster to the Rocky Mountains, and is unrivalled as an advertising medium for the colony. W. F. BAKER, in Victoria, and THOS. BOYCE, in San Francisco, are our authorized Agents.

GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.—In order to meet the requirements of the Government we have set apart the fourth page, or so much thereof as may be required, for the purpose of a GOVERNMENT GAZETTE. In future, therefore, all Government, as well as Municipal, notices and advertisements will appear in that Department, in the event of those of an urgent nature coming to hand too late for the outside, in which case they will receive an insertion on the inside.

## The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 3.

AN ACCOUNT OF A JOURNEY OVERLAND FROM CANADA TO BRITISH COLUMBIA DURING THE SUMMER OF 1862, EMBRACING A GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF THE COUNTRY, TOGETHER WITH THE VARIOUS INCIDENTS, DIFFICULTIES AND DANGERS ENCOUNTERED; FOR CIRCULATION IN THE EASTERN BRITISH COLONIES. BY MR. THOMAS MCKINLEY, OF QUEENSTOWN, CANADA WEST.

Continued from our last.

During the time we were waiting at Georgetown parties for the overland trip to British Columbia were continually arriving, so that by the time the steamer was ready to sail about 150 were on hand. We did not leave Georgetown until the 20th day of May, having waited there twelve days. The water in Red River at this time was unusually high, with strong currents setting across the points among the timber. The boat being somewhat unmanageable, it was found impossible to keep her in the channel, and we had not gone more than two miles before she ran among the timber, tearing down both her smoke pipes and damaging her slightly in other respects. This was rather discouraging after waiting so long, but it was only the beginning of our troubles on the Red river. This was about 2 o'clock on the afternoon of the 20th, and the boat was not ready to sail again until 10 o'clock of the 21st. At this time we started again, but had only gone a short distance when, at 3 o'clock, the engine gave out. This being repaired, we made a short run before dark, when, as usual, we tied up for the night. On the morning of the 22nd the wind blew pretty strong, and Capt. Noile did not think it advisable to sail before 4 o'clock, p. m. About 7 o'clock, in backing up to turn one of the short bends, she ran against the bank and damaged her wheel, so that another delay was necessary. The 23rd was passed without accident. The 24th, being Her Majesty's birthday, was celebrated on board the "International," although within United States territory; by raising the Union Jack, firing a salute, and by a social dinner, at which toasts, speeches and songs were the order; and the manner in which the celebration was received proves the deep attachment of Canadians, under all circumstances, to our Gracious Sovereign. On the 25th we were delayed two hours by a break in the rudder, and reached Lemhina, near the boundary line, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Here we stopped for a short time, and at 5.30 we crossed the 49th parallel and entered the British Possessions. During the day we passed several groups of Indians, who greeted our approach by firing guns, shouting, running, jumping, and other violent gesticulations. These demonstrations were interpreted by some as signals of welcome; by others as tokens of hostility and defiance. From the tragic scenes that have recently been enacted in that neighborhood, it would seem that the latter opinion was correct, although they were probably prevented from making an attack by the presence of so many armed men on the boat.

On the morning of the 26th we were informed that we were fifty (50) miles from Fort Garry by land, and about 110 miles following the course of the river, and that we should reach the fort during the day. This information appeared to infuse new life into the company, and to revive the spirits of those who had already begun to despair of ever reaching the end of a journey so unpropitiously begun. All parties were accordingly early on the move, arranging baggage and freight for unshipping, or keeping a keen lookout for the expected fort. We met the first portion of the settlement about 20 miles above the fort. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon we sighted the fort, from which a salute was fired, as the boat entered the mouth of the Assiniboine in honor of the arrival of the new steamer, and bidding a kindly welcome to the "overlanders." As the vessel neared her moorings the salute was answered by a volley from about 150 rifles on board the boat. It appeared as though all "Selkirk" by whom our arrival was expected, were there, in their holiday attire, to receive us; and it was an occasion that will long be remembered by them, as inaugurating a new era in the history of the colony. I ought to have stated that Governor Dallas did not wait for the boat at Georgetown, but proceeded overland on horseback, accompanied by Mr. McKay, the celebrated guide; and, reaching Garry before us, had announced our coming and made preparations for our reception. We were honored with the company of Lady Dallas down the river. We landed at 5 o'clock, having been over six days in making what ought to have been accomplished in two. Upon reaching the fort we found that, with those who had come down the river in canoes, or overland, besides residents of the settlement who were intending to go with us, our company was increased to about 200 souls. Our next business was to gain all the information possible respecting the trails across the plains, and the different passes over the mountains, as we had not yet fully decided which pass we should take. For this purpose we had frequent meetings and consultations among our own company, and several interviews with Governor Dallas; Mr. McKay, master of Fort Garry; Mr. Christie, master of Edmonton, who happened to be in the settlement; Bishop Tache; Tuncleon Love, who crossed the mountains from this country in 1860; John Whiteford, the guide, and others. After much deliberation it was agreed to make the Edmonton House our next point, and leave the selection of the route beyond until we should know more about it from the people living there.

We now discovered that the delays we had suffered hitherto were rather an advantage than otherwise, and that our only mistake was in leaving home by three or four weeks too early, as the feed on the plains would not have been sufficiently up to have allowed us to have left Fort Garry sooner. Our next care was to procure a guide upon whom we could rely, and as we had so often heard of parties being deserted by their guides in different places, we determined to approach the subject with very great caution. In pursuance of this plan, we made an engagement with one Charles Rochette, a French half-breed, to conduct us to the Edmonton House; and, as he was strongly recommended by Bishop Tache as a trustworthy guide, we supposed we had secured the very man we wanted; but with what results the sequel will show. We were to pay him one hundred dollars for his services, one-half of which was deposited with the Bishop, to be handed to Rochette when he should return with a certificate from us that he had fulfilled his engagement; and the balance was to be paid him upon our arrival at Edmonton. In the meantime some of our number were engaged in purchasing horses, oxen, harness, provisions, and such things as were necessary to complete our outfit. This was in some cases a rather slow operation, not that there was any scarcity of the articles in the settlement, but the extraordinary demand induced many of them to ask more than we considered them worth. We succeeded in buying horses at an average of about forty dollars each, oxen thirty dollars, carts eight dollars, and harness four dollars. There were a few very good animals among the horses, but the majority were of a very ordinary description. Oxen were however more generally used, and we found them all noble animals, possessed of great endurance, and rapid travellers. The Red River carts are odd looking affairs, constructed wholly of wood, without even a nail for a fastening, and before we became accustomed to their appearance, were the occasion of many a joke. The harness is made of raw Buffalo hide, and served a very good purpose while we kept it dry, but was somewhat troublesome on account of its stretching if it happened to get wet. Our provision consisted chiefly of flour and pemican, which we bought principally from the Hudson Bay Company at the rate of \$3.90 per 112 lbs. for flour, and six cents per lb. for pemican. The flour, which was manufactured in the settlement, was a good, sound, wholesome article, but somewhat dark and coarse. From the samples of wheat that we saw, the produce of the colony, with proper mills, number one flour ought to be made. Pemican is prepared buffalo meat, and is made in the following manner: As soon as the animal is killed the lean portion of it is separated from the fat, and cut into thin stripes, which, after being roasted over the fire, are thoroughly dried in the sun until they become quite hard and brittle. It is then spread out on the skin of the animal and beaten with flails until it is quite fine, with the hair side outward, and containing about one hundred pounds, and the fat, after being rendered, is poured over it while hot. The bag is then firmly sewed up, and the pemican is fit for use. Although not a particle of salt is used in its preparation, it will keep in this way for years. But few of our party could eat it at first, its very appearance and the style in which it is put up being apt to prejudice one against it; but all by degrees cultivated a taste for it, so that before we reached the mountains it not only became palatable, but was considered, by most of us, an absolute luxury. It is the principal, and in many cases the only food used by the employees of the Hudson Bay Company, and, indeed, by all the inhabitants of that territory, and is found to be wholesome and nutritious, and admirably adapted to the country. We found the Red River colony a comfortable settlement, extending along the banks of the river from about thirty miles above Fort Garry to the mouth of the river, and along the Assiniboine westward for about twenty miles. It contains some ten thousand inhabitants, the great majority of whom are half-breeds. The settlement is under the government of the Hudson Bay Company, and the administration of their laws appears hitherto to have given general satisfaction. But the time has arrived when they are no longer suited to the necessities or desires of the people, and they are earnest and united in their appeals for the establishment of some kind of responsible government in which they can have a voice. They demand that the Imperial, or Canadian, Government shall open up for them some better communication with the rest of the world, and, from the strong feelings so freely expressed to us upon the subject, it is very evident that, unless something be done to change their circumstances, they will seek some other national relationship. The soil appears to be well adapted to the production of nearly all the cereals and vegetables common to the temperate zones; but one is forcibly struck while passing through the country by the indifferent manner in which it is cultivated, or rather by the total want of cultivation. This unsatisfactory state of affairs is induced by the want of a market for their surplus produce, when they have any, by the absence of all competition, and by the ease with which they can obtain a subsistence without labor, the rich plains affording unlimited pastureage for their herds.

To be Continued.

TA HOY! TA T'HER A HOY! TA HOY  
THREE TIMES!!! AN TA HOY—WHIST!

By command of His Excellency Lieutenant Governor and her trail-maker—Mr. Flunkey.

If anybody is found advocating a trail along to, or below to, or above to, or across to, or through to, or over to, or under to, or around to, or in to, or out to, or in and out to, or out and in to, or in and out and in to, or out and in and out to, or in and out and in and out to, or out and in and out and in to, or in and out and in and out and in to, or out and in and out and in and out to, or in and out and in and out and in and out to, or out and in and out and in and out and in to, or in and out and in and out and in and out and in to, or out and in and out and in and out and in and out to, or in and out and in and out and in and out and in and out to, or out and in and out and in and out and in and out and in to, or in and out and in and out and in and out and in and out and in to, or out and in and out and in and out and in and out and in and out to, or in and out and in and out and in and out and in and out and in and out to, or out and in and out and in and out and in and 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Universal approbation has been awarded to this famous Ointment for its efficiency in removing diseases of the skin. For scrofula, scurvy, acid heads, and all eruptions of the skin, both in infancy and mature years, no remedy can be applied which so quickly cures as Holloway's Ointment. In the nursery it should always be at hand to ease the many skin affections of which the majority of children are liable. In all heat and tooth rashes, the Ointment is wonderfully cooling and curative. To soldiers, sailors, miners, and travellers in foreign lands, it is invaluable.

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In this class of maladies, an improvement in the appearance of the diseased part, follows the first dressing with the Ointment.

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Every one suffering from these painful affections should use this purifying Ointment, as it has rescued thousands from a life of torture, after every other means had been tried in vain. The Ointment should be well rubbed into the skin at least twice a day, after it has been properly fomented with warm salt water, and dried. The inflammation soon yields, and the patient no longer helpless, resumes his accustomed occupation.

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To combat these diseases with success, a remedy is required which will have the whole absorbent system under its control. Such a remedy is Holloway's Ointment, when rubbed on the skin; it penetrates to the glands, and removes any obstruction or impurity which may be impeding their healthy action. This Ointment acts on the very multiplying of life, for through the glands pass all new matter required for the body's reparation; in all the above class of cases, the Ointment and Pills used conjointly will act so powerfully, and certainly, as to effect cures in the most deplorable cases.

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All inflammations and ulcerations of sensitive parts may be presently relieved, and ultimately cured, by the diligent use of this cooling and healing Ointment, used twice daily by bathing the parts in cold water. Immediate ease springs from this treatment; perseverance is necessary to effect a permanent cure.

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Sold at the establishment of Professor Holloway, 244, Strand, (near Temple Bar) London; and by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicines throughout the civilized world, at the following prices:—1s. 1ld., 2s. 9d., 4s. 6d., 11s. 2s., and 33s. each Pot.  
\*\*There is a considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.  
N.B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each Pot.  
CURTIS & MOORE, and LANGLEY BROS. Agents, Yates-street, Victoria, V.I.

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90 Battery-street,  
SAN FRANCISCO.

**SOLE AGENT for Tilton & McFarland's celebrated Fire-proof and Burglar Safes.** This safe is well known in the market for its unsurpassed fire-proof quality, having withstood in California, as well as in the East, the hottest fire known. We can refer to endless certificates from parties in our mining towns, where these safes have been subjected to the most severe tests of their fire-proof qualities. The safes are secured by our Combination Lock. This lock is in every respect the most secure one in use. It requires the key and combination to open the safe. If the key should be abstracted from the owner, it would be perfectly useless to the possessor without his knowledge of the combination, or mental key, which the owner carries in his head. To those in want of a valuable safe we offer the above cheaper than any other in the market.  
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WISH TO NOTIFY THE PUBLIC that they are prepared to forward all

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CONSIGNED TO THEIR CARE FROM  
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to any point in the  
**CARIBOO**  
COUNTRY,  
at moderate rates. DISPATCH will be their motto, and every effort made to give satisfaction to those who may favor them with their patronage.  
Lillooet, June 20th, 1862. je28

# GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.



## British Columbia.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,  
26th July, 1862.  
WHEREAS in the absence of a Government Gazette as a distinct and separate publication, Official Notices and Advertisements have heretofore appeared in the "British Columbian" Newspaper, published at New Westminster; Now, this is to give Notice that all Official Notices and Advertisements heretofore so published in the said "British Columbian" Newspaper, shall be taken and deemed in all respects to have been published in the Government Gazette; and all Official Notices and Advertisements heretofore to be issued, which shall be of a nature or necessity appear in the Government Gazette, shall until further notice, when published in the columns of the aforesaid Newspaper, be likewise taken and deemed in all cases, and for all purposes whatsoever, to have been duly published in the Government Gazette.

By order of the Governor, WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG, jr30

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

### TENDERS.

WILL BE RECEIVED up to 12 o'clock, noon, of Monday the 8th December next, for the construction of a  
**BLASTING AND REMOVING THE UNDERMENTIONED ROCKS IN FRASER RIVER:**  
1. The Rocks known as the Port Sister, going up stream, and situated between Hope and Yale, are to be blasted away to a depth of four feet below low water mark, taken on any day or days the Government may select between the 1st of February and the 15th of March, 1863. All broken rock and rubbish to be removed into deep water.  
2. The Rocks in the Fraser River situated towards the right bank, going up stream, and near the Yale Saw-Mill to be also removed as above.  
3. In no case is the navigation to be impeded by the debris, but if any rock which may be thrown into the river has a clear water-way of four feet, taken on any day or days the Government may select between the 1st of February and the 15th of March, 1863. In all cases when blasting operations are in progress, care is to be taken that due notice is given to all passengers by means of a whistle, the contractors being held responsible for any loss or damage which might occur from neglect in keeping a proper watch and in giving timely warning.  
The work to be completed by the 31st March, 1863.  
Payment for the above services to be made in British Columbia Bonds, redeemable on 31st December, 1863, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum.  
For further particulars apply at this office, or at that of the Assistant Commissioner at Yale.  
For each service separate tenders in a lump sum will be required, the lowest or any of which will not necessarily be accepted.  
By order of His Excellency the Governor, J. G. GRANT, Captain, R. E., for Chief Commissioner.

Lands and Works Department, New Westminster, 21st Nov. 1862. no2

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

### TENDERS.

WILL BE RECEIVED up to noon on Monday the 8th December next, for the construction of a  
**WAGON ROAD 18 FEET WIDE,**  
from Yale to the Steam-boat landing below Emory's Bar.  
The work to be completed on or before the 31st April, 1863.  
TENDERS will at the same time be received for the construction, by the 31st April next, of a  
**BRIDGE ROAD, 10 FEET WIDE,**  
from the above named Steam-boat landing below Emory's Bar to the Steam-boat landing at the lower end of Union Bay.  
Each Road to be carried along the line marked by the Lands and Works Department.  
Payment for the above services to be made in British Columbia Bonds, redeemable in equal proportions on 31st December, 1862, and 31st December, 1864, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum.  
For specifications of the works and further particulars apply at this office, or at that of the Assistant Commissioner at Yale.  
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By order of His Excellency the Governor, J. G. GRANT, Captain, R. E., for Chief Commissioner.

Lands and Works Department, New Westminster, 21st Nov. 1862. no2

## NOTICE.

### NEW WESTMINSTER MUNICIPAL LOAN

OF  
**£3,500 Sterling.**

TENDERS ARE INVITED from parties desirous to invest in sums from £100 to £3,500 Sterling. Debentures to be issued of £100 Sterling each, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, the Capital Sum to be secured on the General Revenue of the City, (except the rentals of the water frontage) and to be devoted exclusively to the improvement of the Streets of the said City, under the provisions of the New Westminster Municipal Loan Law, 1862.  
Debentures Redeemable either at the Bank of British Columbia in London, England, or in New Westminster, (at the option of the Lender) in the following time and manner, viz:  
To the amount of £500 on the 1st November, 1870.  
" £500 " " " 1871.  
" £500 " " " 1872.  
" £500 " " " 1873.  
" £500 " " " 1874.  
" £500 " " " 1875.  
" £500 " " " 1876.  
Interest Coupons will be attached to each Debenture, payable half-yearly, on the 1st day of May, and the 1st day of November, in every year, payable (at the option of the holder) either in New Westminster or in London, England.  
Tenders to be sent in on or before the 15th December, next, and addressed to "THE PRESIDENT OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, New Westminster."

R. C. MOODY, Col. R. E. and Chief Commissioner.

Lands and Works Department, New Westminster, 24th Sept. 1862. oc15

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

**TO CHAS. OPPENHEIMER, WALTER MOBERLY, and all others whom it may concern.**  
Notice is hereby given that the contract of the 16th day of August, 1862, and enforcement between myself and you has been and is declared forfeited, for breach of stipulations thereof, to the use of the Government.  
Dated this 14th day of October, A.D. 1862.  
R. C. MOODY, Col. R. E. and Chief Commissioner.

Lands and Works Department, New Westminster, 24th Sept. 1862. oc15

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

A PORTION OF LAND in Cut-Off Valler at and about the 4th Mile Post on the Road from Lillooet, extending half a mile along the said road and across the Valler as shown by Posts on the ground, is Reserved by the Government as the possible site of a future town.  
R. C. MOODY, Col. R. E. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. New Westminster, 18th September, 1862.

## Notice to the Public.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Contract has been entered into with FRANCIS JONES BARNARD, (Barnard's Express,) for the conveyance of the Government Mails, as undermentioned:

From New Westminster to Douglas, Hope, Yale, Lytton, and Lillooet, and return, weekly.

From 1st April to 30th November.

From New Westminster to Douglas, Hope, Yale, Lytton, Lillooet, to Williams Lake and on to Antler, and return semi-monthly.

From 1st December to 31st March.

From New Westminster to Douglas, Hope, Yale, Lytton, Lillooet, to Williams Lake and on to Antler, and return semi-monthly.

WARNER R. SPALDING, J. P., Postmaster General B. C.

## Notice to the Public.

RATES OF POSTAGE between the undermentioned places, in all cases to be prepaid.

TO	FROM	NEW WESTMINSTER.	DOUGLAS.	HOPE.	YALE.	LYTTON.	LILLOOET.	WILLIAMS LAKE.	ANTLER.
Between New Westminster and Douglas.	1st Class	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Between New Westminster and Hope.	1st Class	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Between New Westminster and Yale.	1st Class	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Between New Westminster and Lytton.	1st Class	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Between New Westminster and Lillooet.	1st Class	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Between New Westminster and Williams Lake.	1st Class	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Between New Westminster and Antler.	1st Class	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10

WARNER R. SPALDING, J. P., Postmaster General B. C.

General Post Office, British Columbia, 1st July, 1862. jy23

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned Block of Land is RESERVED for the present, viz: On the South side of Burrard Inlet, from the Second Narrows measured 3 miles Westwards and one mile backwards from the Writer.  
There is also Reserved from Pre-emption for the present, all the Country Land lying between the aforesaid Reserve and Mr. French's Pre-emption Claim on the Douglas-Street Road—Mr. French's is about 5 miles from the Royal Avenue.  
R. C. MOODY, Col. R. E. and Chief Commissioner.

Lands and Works Department, New Westminster, 24th Sept. 1862. no2

## Government Assay Office.

NEW WESTMINSTER, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

April 4th, 1861.

ASSAYS OF GOLD BULLION are made on the following terms, and under the following conditions:—  
1. A receipt will be given to the Depositor for the exact gross weight of his deposit.  
2. The resulting ingot will be delivered to any party returning the aforesaid receipt, whether the Depositor or any one else, and the party returning the receipt will be required to cancel it by his signature at the time of receiving the ingot.  
3. Each ingot will be stamped with its number, corresponding to its number in the official records, with its weight in ounces and decimals of ounces, its fineness in thousandths, and its value in dollars and cents; also with a Government cipher, a crown encircled by the words, "BRITISH COLUMBIA GOVERNMENT ASSAY"; thus:



and the clip corner will be protected by a small crown impressed on the face of it.

4. With each ingot will be given a certificate, signed by a Government officer, of the weight of the deposit before melting; its weight after; the fineness; the charge for assaying; and the value, in dollars and cents.

5. For all bars not exceeding 50 ounces in weight, a charge of seven shillings and six pence (7s. 6d.) sterling will be made, and for every additional 10 ounces or fraction of same, one shilling and six pence (1s. 6d.).

All clips are retained in the Government Assay Office, but on bars not exceeding 10 ounces in weight, allowance will be made off the assay charge, for the value of the clip.

N.B.—Bars assayed at this office, or Drsr., may be exchanged for American coin, at the current market rates.

ASSAYS OF ORES are made at the charge of One Pound (£1.) for each specimen experimented upon.

For a COMPLETE ANALYSIS of ANY MINERAL, Two Pounds (£2.) is the charge.

W. DRISCOLL GOSSET.

P. S.—Useful geological specimens, whether metallic or not, if accompanied by a note of the locality where found, position with regard to other rocks, altitude, dip, &c., &c., will be thankfully received by me.

W. D. G.

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Plans of all the Cities and Towns on the Fraser River, Maps of Cariboo and the whole country West of the Rocky Mountains.

All of the above will be sold at Victoria prices, with the duties added.

Orders from the Upper Country punctually attended to.

Orders for articles not in Stock, can be obtained with the utmost dispatch.

S. T. TILLEY, Colonial Book Store.

New Westminster, July 8th, 1862. jy9

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The Shafter Bill respects this Title, The City Authorities respect it, The District Courts and Supreme Court of the United States respect it

Besides the Title has been forever quieted by a Final Decree and Judgment against the City!

So that there is not even a cloud or shadow upon it. Whoever purchases one of these lots will buy a lot and not a lawsuit.

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## LILLOOET ROUTE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING REFITTED THE PEMBERTON HOUSE, FOR THE ACCOMMODATION OF TRAVELLERS, WITH BEDS AND LIQUORS, AND having engaged the best Cooks on the Pacific Coast, are prepared to furnish the travelling public with all the comforts and luxuries of a FIRST-CLASS HOTEL, at greatly reduced rates.

N.B.—Travellers will find it to their advantage to patronize this House, as none but the best of everything will be furnished.

P. SMITH & CO. ec13 Pemberton, Sept. 12th, 1862.

## New Advertisements.

### THE DOCTOR FOR ALL HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.

**CHEST COMPLAINTS.**

No diseases are more frequent, few more dangerous, than affections of the respiratory organs. The first symptoms of catarrh, bronchitis, and influenza, may be radically removed by Holloway's renowned Pills. They quickly remedy any temporary stagnation of blood, relieve any overgrown veins, moderate the hurried breathing, and enable the lungs to do their office with ease and regularity. These Pills, by their purifying powers, cleanse the blood from all impurities, and fortify the system against consumption, asthma, and similar complaints.

**STOMACH, LIVER, KIDNEYS AND BOWELS.**

From various causes these organs are frequently getting out of order, and require some suitable medicine to regulate them. Holloway's Pills effect this object with wonderful celerity and certainty. They do not distress the system, or weaken the frame; they thoroughly invigorate the digestive organs. They gently excite the stomach and liver, stimulate the kidneys to perform their functions efficiently, and act upon the bowels without griping or any other annoyance; again, taken an hour before dinner, they cannot be equalled as a "Dinner Pill," as they entirely prevent acidity, flatulency, nausea, and biliousness.

**WINDY OR WATERY DROPSY.**

Whoever is afflicted with these complaints, should at once have recourse to Holloway's Pills. They act most energetically on the glandular and absorbent system, purify the blood, and induce a vigorous action of the bowels, which may have temporarily taken away. They excite the kidneys to increased activity, and thereby stimulate the absorbents to remove the fluid already collected.

**DISORDERS PECULIAR TO WOMEN.**

There is no medicine equal to Holloway's Pills for correcting the ailments incidental to females. They may be taken with safety for any irregularity of the system. As they remove all cause of melancholy, and so restore, by their grand purifying properties, females of all ages to robust health.

**INFLUENZA, DIPHTHERIA AND SORE THROAT.**

How all-important it is to check the first departure from health! all may do so by taking Holloway's Pills, without risk or restriction. In all diseases affecting the blood, nerves, and muscles, or in cases of fever, sore throat, colds, coughs, asthma, and shortness of breath, the earlier they are taken the better.

**CHILDREN'S COMPLAINTS.**

Diseases incidental to children, such as feverish attacks, scarlet fever, measles, and all diseases of the skin, may be immediately checked, and soon cured, by these purifying Pills, which may be reduced to a powder, and given in doses of one, two, or three nightly, according to the age of the sufferer. Holloway's Ointment is soothing, cooling, and healing, and is better adapted than any other remedy for all external ailments.

**INDIGESTION, BILE AND SICK HEADACHES.**

No organ in the human body is so liable to disorder as the liver, and none is more apt, when neglected, to become seriously diseased. When nausea, flatulency, or acidity on the stomach, warns us that digestion is not proceeding properly, Holloway's Pills regulate every function, give strength to every organ, speedily remove all causes of indigestion, bile and sick headaches, and effect a permanent cure.

**LUMBAGO, RHEUMATISM AND GOUT.**

In these diseases the blood is always in a highly inflammatory state; the stomach is also disordered, and the liver and kidneys unusually torpid. A few doses of these Pills, taken in time, will rectify all these symptoms by their cooling and purifying properties.

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Bilious Complaints	Fever of all kinds	Sore Throat
Blisters on the skin	Flux	Stone and Gravel
Bowel Complaints	Gout	Secondary Symp-toms
Culicis	Head-ache	Tie Douloureux
Constipation of the bowels	Indigestion	Tumours
Croup	Liver Com-pulsion	Fleets
Debility	Liver Com-plaints	Veneral Affections
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which he flatters himself are as good as can be produced in the Colony. In connection with the Saloon he has just opened a splendid

**Billiard Hall,** which is furnished with three first-class Billiard Tables, with marble beds and Phelan's composition cushions; and being well lighted and ventilated, possesses all the facilities for enjoying a quiet game at Billiards. jall

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